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Raised Bill No. 555

LCO No. 2176

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:
(HS)

AN ACT CONCERNING INDEXING OF PRIVATE PROVIDER RATES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) For the fiscal year ending
2 June 30, 2005, and each fiscal year thereafter, the Secretary of the Office
3 of Policy and Management shall increase the compensation rate paid to
4 private providers utilized for programs operated or administered by
5 the Departments of Social Services, Mental Retardation, Correction,
6 Mental Health and Addiction Services and Children and Families, the
7 Judicial Department or the Board of Parole. The increase in
8 compensation shall be equal to the mean average increase in the cost-
9 of-living adjustment paid to state employees providing the same or
10 similar services during the previous biennium, as determined by the
11 Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management.

12 Sec. 2. (*Effective July 1, 2004*) The sum of ____ dollars is appropriated
13 to the Office of Policy and Management, from the General Fund, for
14 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, to provide an increase in the
15 compensation rate paid by the state to private providers utilized for
16 programs operated or administered by the Departments of Social
17 Services, Mental Retardation, Correction, Mental Health and Addiction

18 Services and Children and Families, the Judicial Department or the
19 Board of Parole.

20 Sec. 3. (*Effective July 1, 2005*) The sum of ____ dollars is appropriated
21 to the Office of Policy and Management, from the General Fund, for
22 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, to provide an increase in the
23 compensation rate paid by the state to private providers utilized for
24 programs operated or administered by the Departments of Social
25 Services, Mental Retardation, Correction, Mental Health and Addiction
26 Services and Children and Families, the Judicial Department or the
27 Board of Parole.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2004</i>
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2004</i>
Sec. 3	<i>July 1, 2005</i>

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Joint Favorable C/R

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